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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Patent and Trademark Office Action of May 19, 2004.

Please enter the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.